

2016 Prediction Fun Run/Walk

Wednesday, June 15 at 7:00 pm

Race Directors: Erica Chauvet and James Bush

We are so excited to be hosting the 7th Annual Prediction Fun Run/Walk this summer.

Here is a preview of this year's shirts!

Shown on the Augusta Short Sleeve Performance Shirt in Purple



Shown on the Augusta Ladies V-Neck Performance Shirt in Purple



2016 Fun Run Details in 3 Easy Steps!!!

1. Order a shirt. Please place your t-shirt order by Friday, May 20th!

To order a crew-neck shirt click here:

<https://www.customink.com/g/xna0-00a5-ra1q>

To order a v-neck shirt click here:

<https://www.customink.com/g/xna0-00af-gxs5>



The shirts are made of a moisture-wicking material and are very comfortable. If you would like to order a t-shirt, simply select the size/quantity that you want. You can also check out the sizing chart to find the perfect fit. You may order a shirt, even if you do not want to participate in the race.

2. Pay for your shirt. Please pay for your shirt when you place your order.

Paying is even easier this year! You can pay for your shirt on the CustomInk website when you order it. There are no fees and you can use any credit card. ***Preferred Method***

If you want to pay by check, mail \$15 to: Erica Chauvet, 1316 Morgan Circle, Canonsburg, PA 15317

Shirts will be distributed at the reading. Ordering a shirt does not obligate you to participate in the fun run/walk although we would LOVE to see you there!

3. Register for the race. You may register up to the start of the race, but you will make me so happy if you register in advance!!!

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1gqQTovCiYHttipHgAJuo4XfSAp3odBRZO7JBLqLS6mU/edit?usp=sharing>

There is NO FEE to register. You simply have to click on the link above. Please enter your name, gender, and how long (minutes and seconds) you think it will take you to complete the Fun Run!

Please do not delay in registering!

Directions to the 1.96 Mile Prediction Fun Run/Walk!

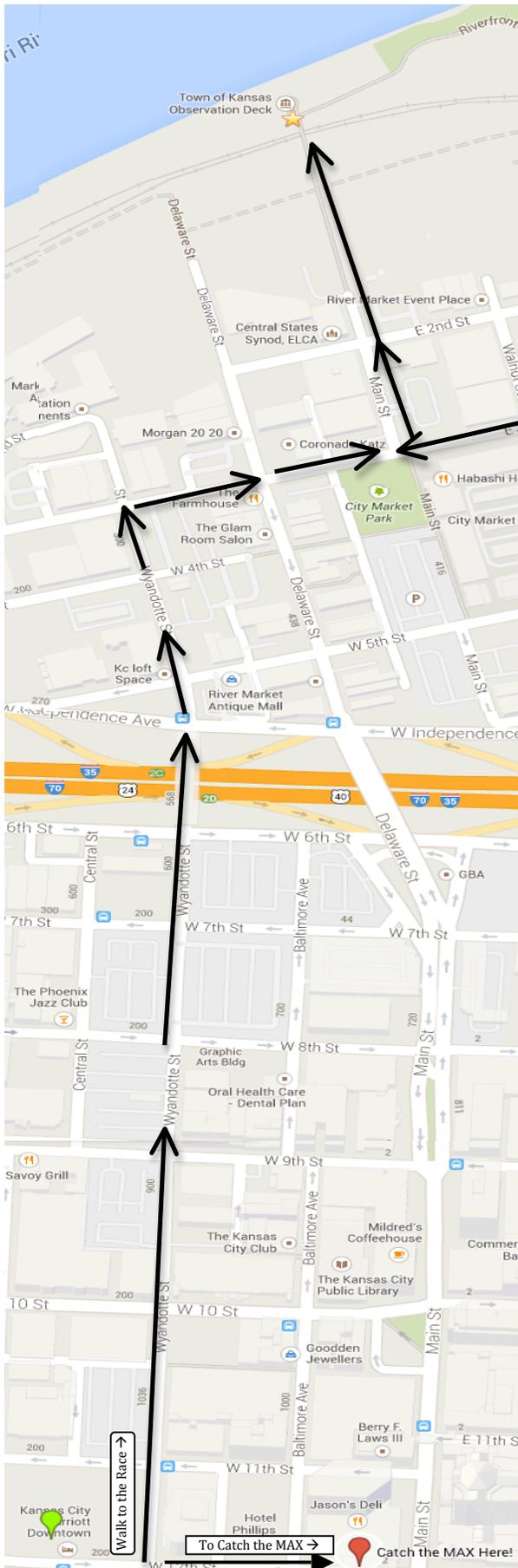
The Prediction Run will be held Wednesday, June 15th at 7pm on the Heritage Trail along the Missouri River!

The trail entrance is 0.9 miles from the Marriott. You may either walk to and from the race

OR

You may ride the MAX (Metro Area Express - Public Transportation) bus for \$1.50 each way.

Note: You must catch either the 6:00 or 6:30 bus, each of which can hold approximately 50 people.



If you would like to walk to the trail:

1. Follow Wyandotte Street North all the way to 3rd Street
2. Make a right on 3rd Street
3. Make a left on Main Street
4. Look for the Bridge to the Trail!!!

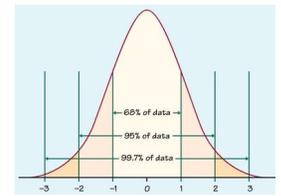
If you would like to catch the MAX:

1. You can catch the bus on 12th Street between Baltimore and Main Street.
2. The bus picks up at that location every 30 minutes, on the hour and half hours.
3. You will get off at "City Market", which is the MAX's last stop, at the corner of 3rd and Grand Blvd
4. Walk 2 blocks, West on 3rd Street
5. Make a right onto Main Street
6. Look for the Bridge to the Trail!!!





Important Fun Run Info!



Race History:

The prediction run began in Daytona in 2010 when a small group of friends decided to loosely organize a fun run on the beach. Since then, participation has exploded. Last year we had over 280 participants!

Race Details

We use the word "race" loosely, because the primary purpose of the Prediction Fun Run/Walk is to get out and have fun. We are 95% confident that you will have a great time! The race will be held this year (again) on a paved walking trail along the Missouri River. The course consists of very gentle rolling hills. The course is 1.96 miles long... it is a 95% confidence fun run!

What is a Prediction Run?

When you register, you will be asked to PREDICT how long it will take you to complete the 1.96 mile course. The way that you WIN the race is to have the smallest residual, meaning your actual course completion time is closer to your predicted time than all of the other participants. We have not yet had a "perfect" prediction, but the top predictors are usually only off by a few seconds!

Now, you may be wondering if you may wear a watch. NO! Heck no!

Since the winner simply has to have the most accurate prediction, ANYONE can win...walk or run. Again, remember our goal: To have a GREAT time...and you will!



Awards!

An awesome prize will be given out at the closing ceremonies to the male and female with the most accurate prediction. We will also give out some special "statistics" awards. ☺



Prizes!

This year, 25% of the finishers will receive a super awesome stats towel!

Also, we will be having an additional contest that will test your memory and mental math while you walk/run the course. More details will be given before the start of the race!



Warning!

There are NO restroom facilities at the race site. Please do your business ahead of time!!!



Volunteers Needed!

Volunteers are essential to help the race go smoothly. If you do not want to participate in the race, but are able to help, I can use you!!!! Volunteers are needed for the following jobs:

	Position	What is Needed?	Volunteers
1	Photographer	Take Pictures!	Cliff D.
2	Videographer	Take Videos!	Adam S.
3	Timer	Time the race	George C.
4	6-8 Course People	6 people are needed to keep the runners safe and going in the right direction. It would be GREAT if 1-2 course people also had the ability to play music for the runners. I will need to meet with you on Day 1 after the reading.	1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8.
5	Driver	Help me transport items to the race site.	Tom S.
6	6-8 Chute People	This year we will have a race "chute" to funnel all finishers into a straight line. Necessary us to collect proper finishing times!	1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8.
7	2 Finish Line People	2 People needed to hand out the finish line place cards.	9. 10.
8	2-4 Data People	2-4 People are needed to recollect the place cards and type names into a spreadsheet	1. 2. 3. 4.
9	2 Water People	Hand out bottled water at the finish line	1. 2.
10	Prize Person	Hand out a prize to 25% of the finishers. The place card will indicate the winners.	Leigh N.
11	Decorators	Decorating the starting/finishing line	
12	2 or more Greeters	Greeters are needed at the entrance of the bridge to direct people to the race site and to answer any last minute questions	1. 2.
13	Music Person?	Anyone have a good speaker? I have an iPhone "bomb", but once people start to arrive you can't even hear it.	
14	Bus Organizer	Meets and makes sure those who want to catch the Metro to the race site are taken care of!	
15	Entertainment	Cheer and encourage the runners and walkers!	Renee M.
16	Volunteer Organizer	I need someone to sign-in all of the volunteers to register for prize drawings for the volunteers after the race!	

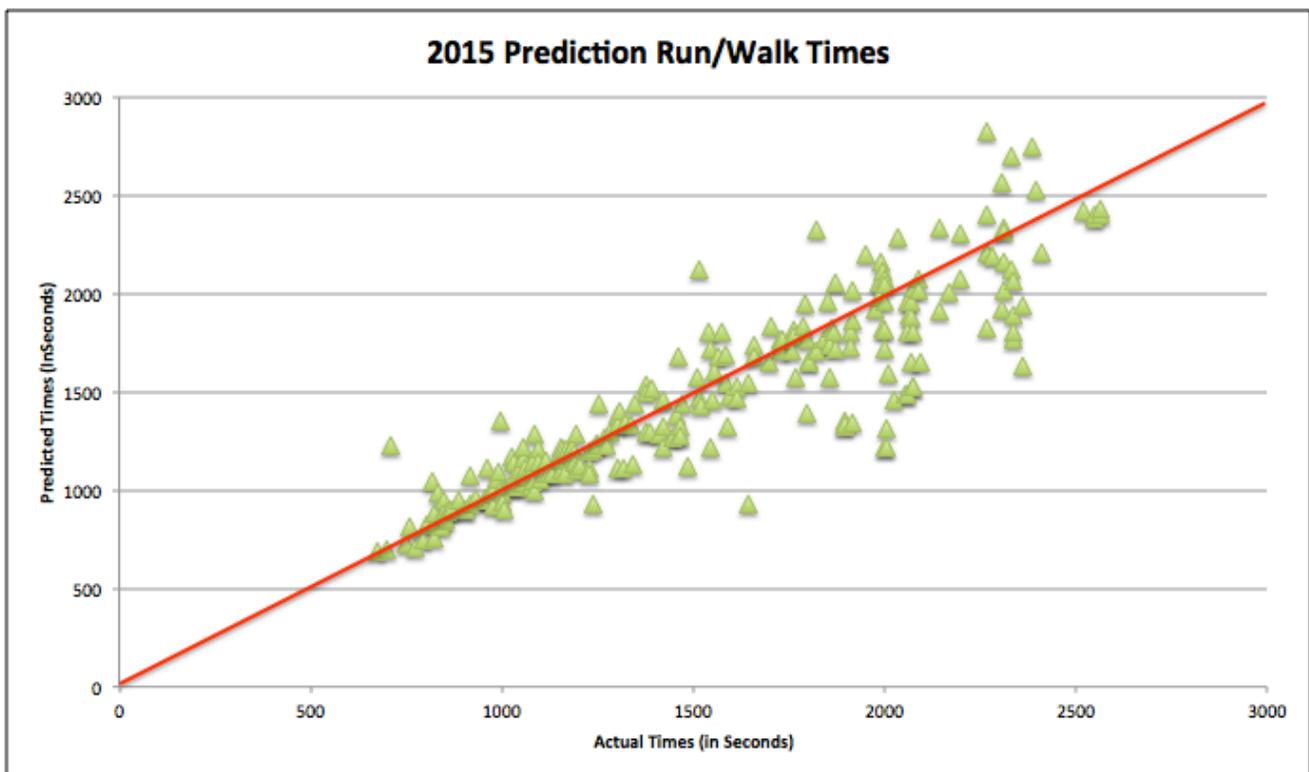
If you can serve in any of the above roles, please email me!

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Important Changes

1. This year, we will be giving out “Stats Towels” to 25% of the finishers. HOWEVER, it will not be a “systematic sample” this year. As you finish, you will receive a card with your place number on it. 25% of those cards will have the word WINNER printed on the back! Good luck!!!
2. The race continues to grow, and the predictions are become increasingly accurate. In order to ensure accuracy in our timing efforts, we will have a finishing “chute” this year. So when you cross the finish line you will be funneled into a single file line for a short distance prior to receiving your finishing place number. It is ESSENTIAL that EVERYONE that crosses the finish line takes a place card. It does not matter if you submitted a prediction or not. It does not matter if you walked or ran. It does not matter if you tried to compete or just did it for fun. Our timer will be clocking a time for EVERY person who finishes, so if even one person does not take a place card, everyone’s result after that person will be wrong. **Data accuracy is essential!!!**

Last Year’s Results



Rain or Shine!
See you there!!!

